

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Special services in observance of the 160th anniversary of the independence of Greece were held Sunday at Trinity Orthodox church on Water street and were attended by practically all the Greek residents of Danielson and the surrounding towns. In observance of the anniversary a canopy of laurel was built over the sidewalk leading to the main entrance of the church and the flags of the United States and Greece were displayed.

Saturday, the body of Catherine Walsh, 80, formerly of Dayville, was brought here for burial in St. James' cemetery. She left this town many years ago and had lived in Providence for a long time.

When the members of the board of selectmen met today (Monday) it is possible that they will arrive at a decision as to what will be done about cutting down a row of 14 maple trees on Reynolds street. The hearing relative to the proposal that the trees be removed brought forth a very generous amount of discussion pro and con. An interesting feature of the hearing was that two residents who live just opposite the trees it is proposed to remove appeared in favor of the plan—Dr. Nathaniel Hibbard and Frederick I. Racine. The removal of the trees was eloquently opposed by Judge M. A. Shumway and a number of other speakers.

This week is expected to bring forth announcements of an encouraging nature relative to the revival of the tire fabric manufacturing industry in the town of Killingly. Tire factories are using a tremendous amount of fabric just now as the motoring season is opening and creating a demand for tires. It is the case last week, it is expected that there will be a further increase in production at the Connecticut mills this week and there are hopeful signs of an early revival of activity at Goodyear. Recent market reports have shown that stock of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company are increasing in value and this has been due to the fact that production of tires at the Goodyear plant in Akron has increased to 16,000 a day.

Members of the Knights of Columbus representative of councils in many parts of eastern Connecticut gathered here on Sunday afternoon to witness the conferring of the third degree on a class of 28 candidates at the town hall. The degree was conferred by District Deputy Edward W. Mullan and suite, the degree team being made up of members of Carroll council, of Putnam. The exemplification proved one of the most interesting held in Danielson since the local council began to grow about two years ago.

Cecily Arvid F. L. Davis is scheduled to address the members of Brookline grange tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Miss Flora Miller, home demonstration agent, will also address the meeting, which will be of interest to grangers throughout this section of the country.

William Hardman, who was shot a week ago last Saturday night by Oliver A. Downs at the latter's farm place in the town of Brookline, is still confined to his bed at the fall in Brookline and it is believed that he must remain there a few more days. Inflammation in his legs is gradually receding, but his wounds are still painful and several shot remain imbedded in his flesh.

There were 29 prisoners at the county jail Sunday.

Ancient Civilization at New Tasks was the subject of an illustrated lecture at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Members of the Hampshire girls met on Saturday afternoon with Miss Louise Danielson.

Miss Helen Kinney of Mechanville was the guest of Mrs. Mary Taylor of Academy street Sunday.

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Arthur Grimes, who has been spending the winter in Florida, is expected to arrive here today (Monday).

John A. Wilton of Worcester was a visitor with friends in Danielson over Sunday.

Work has been started on the construction of a cottage for D. E. White, on a site on what for years has been known as the Coon place on Broad street.

Members of the Sewing class of the Danielson Girls' club are to hold a meeting Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Keach were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Winter of Willimantic over the week-end.

William M. Franklin showed Saturday one of the best trout yet brought into Danielson—a 13-ounce beauty.

Today (Monday) brings the annual thorough meeting for transaction of such business as is mentioned in the warning. The polls are to open at 4 p. m.

Richard A. Stines of Providence was a visitor with friends in Danielson over Sunday.

The annual junior promenade by the class of 1922, Killingly High school, is scheduled to be held at the assembly hall of the high school Friday evening.

Rev. Frank E. Henry of Great Falls, Montana, is to preach at the Westfield Congregational church here Sunday next.

Norman Reeves, chairman, Frank Gorman, James Kelley, Raoul Hensault and James Moran are members of the committee of arrangements for the annual concert and ball to be given by Rose of Lima council, K. of C.

Fred Card of East Brooklyn has been given the contract for carrying the mail between Danielson, East Killingly and Foster. The contract will cover the period for four years from July 1.

Miss Esther A. Stahl of Meriden was a visitor with friends in Danielson over Sunday.

There is ground for believing that the \$18,000 bond from the state for building a garage on the state property here will be passed. This money will provide a building to house part of the equipment, valued at \$150,000, that is being turned over to Connecticut by the federal government of the new mobile artillery regiment which has been organized in Connecticut.

Danielson people will have a chance to see some of the batteries of this regiment and the great guns with which it is supplied when they make an overland trip through this place en route to Camp Devens for summer maneuvers.

PUTNAM

When Joseph Gorman of Ballouville came up to town Friday evening to play a few games of checkers with some friends, he found that his reputation had got ahead of him, and that about twenty, interested in the game, were present to either look on or play. He first tried playing simultaneously four boards against four of the strongest opponents that Putnam had to offer. This was later repeated against four others. Mr. Gorman winning the majority of the games. He later played in single contest against the opponents who had made the most formidable showing against him, and the Ballouville champion won all the games. The local men who made the best showing were Wilfred Gaulin, Harry Burton, Pierre Bonin, Henry Dubois, and George Cornell.

It is probable that a chess and checkers club will be organized at an early date, as much interest has been manifested in both games during the past winter. Some kind of a tournament is being planned for Friday evening next.

Donald Brews, the operator of the motion picture machine at the Victoria theatre, has received a permit from the United States government giving him permission to establish an amateur wireless station in this town. Mr. Brews plans to locate his station over Russell's place on Pomfret street. He has been interested in matters connected with wireless telegraphy for the past six years. On preliminary tests he has been able to receive messages from as great distance as Rome, Italy.

To represent their various high school classes in the inter-class prize speaking contest to be held soon at Putnam High, the following have been chosen in the elimination contest in the three upper classes. Seniors: Helen Thompson, 1; Helen Phillips, 2; Juniors: Junice Harrison, 1; Katherine Thayer, 2; sophomores: Clara Walker, 1; Christine Murray, 2. The freshman elimination contest has not yet been held but is scheduled for tomorrow. In the final contest last year, Miss Thompson, 21, and Miss Keller, 23, took first and second places respectively.

Walter Barnes, arrested Thursday by Captain Bulger, will probably be brought to trial today (Monday) charged with being connected with the raid on Samuel Renick's store, when, besides other things, about seventy bottles of Jamaica ginger were taken.

Preliminary trials are under way to select the eight to represent Putnam High and Putnam grammar schools in the inter-town spelling contest of the local schools and Killingly's High and grammar schools. These contests have been carried on for two years; Killingly High has won the contests both times, thus coming into permanent possession of the trophy cup. The grammar school contests are resulted in one victory for each side.

Honor pupils of the senior class at the high school, as announced by Principal Snow are: Classical course: Jeanette Gilbert; with Alfred Barber and James Torrey receiving honorable mention. In the general course Helen Thompson carried off honors, with Raymond Pierce and Olive Baker receiving honorable mention. Commercial course: Robert Arnold; honorable mention to Dorothy Rouse and Oliver Clapp. These pupils had the highest average throughout their four years in high school. The averages for the four years for the receiving honorable mention or first honors ranged from eighty-five to ninety per cent.

In the Odd Fellows' bowling league series of games, the Hall Room Boys took three straight from the Greenhorns in Friday evening's playing. The four teams at present are in the following position: Sweet Ferns 1, Hall Room Boys 2, Dewdrops 3, and the Greenhorns in the cellar position. The leaders have won so many of their games that it will be impossible to take first place from them before this season ends with the last of this month. Three strings are played every Monday and Friday evenings at the Vandalia alleys.

Putnam troop of Boy Scouts is to hold a meeting in the high school gym Tuesday evening.

Putnam lodge of Odd Fellows has appointed Harold Mansfield a member of the Memorial Day committee of the various organizations about town.

At its last committee meeting the American Legion committee voted to include in the committee all of the remaining veterans of the Civil War, one representative from each of the fraternal organizations, and several other local men.

Members of Putnam troop of Boy Scouts under the supervision of Mrs. W. W. Rafferty turned out in full force Saturday in the interest of the Hoover relief fund drive in this city. The largest single amount donated in exchange for a tag was \$25 given by Chancey Morse. A total of about \$200 was realized from the sale of tags and buttons. This fund is being used to purchase supplies for the relief of the victims of the recent flood in the West.

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Thursday evening at the Congregational church, the young people of the church will be given a supper by the Social Circle. After the supper, the children will enjoy an hour of story telling by Miss Frances Weid Danielson.

The meeting and banquet of the Men's club of the Congregational church will be held Tuesday evening. Prof. Theodore Collier, head of the history department of Brown University will be the speaker.

Mrs. Lucy Dresser, 52, widow of Abel Dresser, died at her home on Church street about noon Saturday, after a long illness. Mrs. Dresser, formerly Miss Lucy A. Now, was born in Stonington, Conn. at the time of her coming to this place. Putnam went by the name of Pomfret Factory. Her only surviving relative, a son, George E. Dresser, is a prominent local business man.

The ancient grandstand at the high school collapsed recently during a game between State Trade School and the team of the Canadian Athletic Club. When one of the Trade School boys knocked a three-bagger the excitement in the stand was so intense that the venerable structure collapsed.

Those members of the Putnam Boy Scouts who turned out to support the Hoover relief fund tag day were: Edward Keefe, Teddy Broussau, Mathewson Collier, Donald Child, Herbert Clark, Kenneth Bugbee, Walter Turner, Gerald Marcy, Albert Woods, Harold Arnold, Robert Brube, Allen Thayer, Chandler Morse, Theodore Gagne, Sidney Hayward, and Franklin Perry. The first named turned in the largest amount.

SPRING HILL

Miss Bertha Smith, a former resident of Mansfield, is staying with Miss Ida Reynolds, who is not in good health. Herbert Gillette has moved his family and household goods from Bristol and has taken possession of his farm purchased from G. A. Stalker last year.

Louis Brittan is in possession of a small farm recently purchased from C. H. Bosworth.

Mrs. William Morey has returned to the home of Clarence Bosworth after treatment at a hospital in Willimantic.

Mrs. McDougal McDonald Campbell and daughter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are staying at the home of Dr. LaJesse.

The Mansfield Poultry association held its second meeting at the town hall last Monday evening; about 40 were present. The Ladies' Aid society, auxiliary to the Baptist church, held its annual meeting at the church Thursday afternoon, when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. L. Storm; vice president, Mrs. O. B. Nason; secretary and treasurer, Miss Ethel Freeman; solicitor, Mrs. J. H. Nichols; housekeeper, Mrs. C. Davis.

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The annual business meeting of the First Baptist church of Mansfield was held at the church Friday evening. Supper was served at 7 o'clock, to which all in the community had been invited, whether members or not. After supper the roll was called. Those who have served in the several offices for a number of years were re-elected. The subject of the much needed repairs to the church building brought out quite a lengthy discussion which finally resulted in committees being selected to go ahead with the work. It was voted to continue with the same arrangement with Rev. R. G. Pavy, who is pastor of the Congregational church at Mansfield Center.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilde came from Providence, R. I., to attend the annual meeting of the church.

WILLINGTON

Miss Pauline Chalker returned to her school in Eagleville, Monday morning.

Mrs. Edward Lyon substituted in Miss Fitzpatrick's store at Stafford Springs two days recently. Mrs. Lyon was employed in the store before her marriage.

Miss Sara Dunning has returned from New York.

Miss Helen Hutchinson, a teacher in Bristol, was the week end guest of her aunts, Mrs. Lincoln White and Mrs. Clark.

Schools opened last week after being closed for two weeks for the Easter vacation.

Miss Ruth Davis has returned home from Providence.

The time of the church service changed Sunday, the 3rd, on the Hill Sunday school will commence at 2 p. m. and preaching service at 3 p. m.

At the meeting of the Cemetery association the officers were re-elected. William Ruby, Wilbert C. Rube and Mary Albert Woods were added by vote.

At the town meeting, a tax of six milles on a dollar was voted, an increase of one mill. Two mills of the tax are to be used for school purposes.

Saturday the Girl Scouts had their semi-annual business meeting and election of officers.

Mrs. Elsie and Mrs. Dodge of New York spent the week end with George Cosgrove and family.

Lincoln White is to have electricity in his barn and poultry house.

Mrs. Frank Woodworth is working at Stafford Springs.

Mrs. Emily Gardner was eighty-nine years old Monday. She entertained friends during the day, and received a number of gifts and cards.

Howard Bligh and Norman Bligh motored to Manchester Saturday night to visit their aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullum of Mansfield Depot were guests of Mrs. Charles Miller Sunday.

The parsonage is being papered and painted.

Mr. and Mrs. William March of Mystic, former residents, were in town Wednesday calling on friends.

Thursday morning, as William Hughes was sawing logs at Clark's corner for Francis Arnold, the tree he was sawing caught and fell on him. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Willimantic, and died Thursday night. His sister, side before he passed away. This is the second accident that has happened at that wood lot. Mr. Buesse broke his ankle there and has been in the hospital several weeks.

Fairfield.—The 129th annual meeting of the Fairfield County Medical association is to be held in the Stratfield hotel, Bridgeport, Tuesday, April 12, at 4 p. m.

BOZRAH

Bozrah grange held its regular meeting Wednesday evening, in the town hall. The third and fourth degrees were conferred on five candidates, after which a supper was served.

Miss Lucy Wilcox and Mrs. Lloyd Abel spent a day recently in Norwich.

Mrs. Clarence Parker has returned, after spending a few days with Mrs. Frank Lathrop, of Thameville.

Henry Clark was a business caller in New York.

BORN.

DURO.—At the Sunshine maternity home, April 10, 1921, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Duro of McKinley avenue.

CHAPMAN.—At the Sunshine maternity home, April 10, 1921, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapman of Peck street.

JOSLYN.—In Westminister (Canterbury), April 7, 1921, a son, Clarence Robert, to Rita Dell and Clarence Lee Joslyn.

MARRIED

WOOD.—BACKUS.—In Willimantic, Mass., April 3, 1921, by Rev. Harry S. McCready, Clinton T. Wood and Miss Ruth Christine Backus.

DAYTON.—CARTER.—In Glasgow, April 4, 1921, by Rev. Ludovic Paradis, Edmond Dayton and Miss Dora Carter of Volunton.

HUIDER.—KARAS.—In Colchester, April 4, 1921, by Rev. Joseph P. Ford, Michael Huidier and Mrs. Natalie Karas, both of Hebron.

DIED

GALLUP.—In Monmouth, April 9, 1921, Jeanette Gallup, aged 61 years. Funeral services at the Eikon Congregational church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

RUSHWORTH.—In Hebronville, Mass., April 7, 1921, Mrs. Charlotte, widow of Richard Rushworth, aged 82 years. Burial in Maplewood cemetery, Norwich, today (Monday) on the arrival of the 12:30 train, New Haven station.

JOSLYN.—In Westminister (Canterbury), April 8, 1921, Rita Dell Joslyn, beloved wife of Clarence Lee Joslyn.

DART.—In Montville, April 10, 1921, Edwin S. Dart, aged 30 years. Funeral at the home of his father, George W. Dart, Uncasville, Tuesday afternoon, April 12, at 2:30. Burial in the family plot in Comstock cemetery.

DOMBROSKI.—In Norwich, April 9, 1921, Genevieve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dombroski of 15 High street, aged 6 months and 2 days.

DRYVA.—In Norwich, April 10, 1921, Annie Andrews, wife of John Dryva of 24 Quarry street, aged 55 years.

ARMEDIO.—In Preston, April 9, 1921, Frank Armedi, aged about 40 years.

FANNING.—In Ross, Cal., March 24, 1921, George Fanning, formerly of Norwich, a native of Jewett City, aged 96 years.

SNOW.—At Mansfield Depot, April 8, 1921, David H. Snow, aged 78 years.

LIPTRAIT.—In Norwich, April 10, 1921, Emma Nutter, wife of William Liptrait, aged 58 years.

MAINE.—In North Stonington, April 8, 1921, Carey E. Maine, aged 59 years.

WRIGHT.—In Wyoming, R. I., April 8, 1921, Samuel Wright, in his 80th year.

SYMIE.—In Westerly, R. I., April 9, 1921, James Symie, aged 66 years.

DRESSE.—In Putnam, April 9, 1921, Lucy A. Noyes, widow of Abel Dresser, a native of Stonington, in her 90th year.

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in Plainfield and the management, although expecting some hard games, plans on keeping it here.

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